

105TH CONGRESS  
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# S. RES. 296

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 9 (legislative day, OCTOBER 2), 1998

Mr. KERREY submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## RESOLUTION

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Whereas World War II is the defining event of the 20th century;

Whereas in World War II, over 16,000,000 American men and women served the Nation, of which nearly 300,000 were killed and over 670,000 were wounded;

Whereas in Public Law 103–422 (108 Stat. 4356), Congress approved the location of a memorial to this epic event in

Area I of the District of Columbia and its environs, as described in the Act entitled “An Act to provide standards for placement of commemorative works on certain Federal lands in the District of Columbia and its environs, and for other purposes”, approved November 14, 1986 (40 U.S.C. 1001 et seq.); and

Whereas Congress has traditionally provided funding for the memorials commemorating President Thomas Jefferson and President Abraham Lincoln, the monument to President George Washington, and the Korean War Veterans Memorial: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved,*

2       **SECTION 1. FUNDING OF A WORLD WAR II MEMORIAL.**

3       It is the sense of the Senate that, on completion of  
 4 construction of a World War II Memorial in Area I of  
 5 the District of Columbia and its environs, as described in  
 6 that Act, Congress should provide funding for the maintenance,  
 7 security, and custodial and long-term care of the  
 8 memorial by the National Park Service.

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